

# PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

## The University of Toronto and Its Histories: A Symposium University College, Room TBA, University of Toronto Congress, May 26, 2002

8:30 a.m.  
Coffee

2:50 p.m. - 3:15 p.m.  
Coffee Break

8:45 a.m.  
Introduction

3:15 p.m. - 4:15 p.m.

Session 4. "Reflections"

9:00 a.m. - 10:20 a.m.

Session 1. "Regulation and Appearance"

- a) William Westfall, "'Picturesque Trinity': Residence, Landscape, and Modernism"
- b) Sara Burke, "'A Fair-Haired, Blue-Eyed Girl': Race and Class in the Admission of Women to University College in 1884"
- c) Catherine Gidney, "Dating and Gating: The Moral Regulation of Men and Women at Victoria and University Colleges, 1920-60"
- d) Charles Levi, "Student Self-Government, 1895-1988: Thoughts on an Enduring Double- Entendre"

a) Paul Axelrod, "The University of Toronto through Historians' Eyes"

b) Brian McKillop, "Bissell's 'Great Good Place' and the History of Higher Education in Canada: Reflections on the Symposium"

This symposium is open free of charge to anyone who wishes to attend. Professor Freidland's address is separate from the lunch break and you are cordially invited to drop in to hear it, or to attend all or any part of the sessions. We would appreciate it if those wishing to attend would indicate their interest to the address below, by May 1, so that we can estimate numbers.

10:20 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.  
Coffee Break

Refreshments and a light lunch will be provided by the University of Toronto Press, free of charge, to the first 40 pre-registrants who will be attending all sessions. You must inform us by May 1 to be pre-registered. Since our schedule is tight, those who do not pre-register are encouraged to bring their own lunch, coffee, etc.

10:45 a.m. - 11:50 a.m.

Session 2. "Professional Schools"

- a) Elizabeth Smyth, "Professional Education: The Case of the Faculty of Education at Toronto"
- b) Ruby Heap, Wyn Millar, Bob Gidney, "Women and Other Students: The Professional Schools, 1910 to 1970"
- c) Richard White, "The Faculty of Engineering as a Conservative Institution"

There will be a reception afterwards, hosted by the University of Toronto Press, in celebration of Professor Friedland's book, *The University of Toronto: A History*.

12:00 p.m. - 12:30 p.m.  
Lunch

To pre-register or for any other information, contact Bob Gidney or Wyn Millar, at: [rgidney@uwo.ca](mailto:rgidney@uwo.ca).

12:30 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Martin Friedland, "The University of Toronto: A History"

1:45 p.m. - 2:50 p.m.

Session 3. "Working Identities"

- a) Cathy James, "Cultivating the Canadian Cultural Hybrid: Trinity College Women and Social Service, 1890 to 1930"
- b) Alison Prentice, "Exploring the History of Women's Work at the University of Toronto"
- c) Don Wright, "Donald Creighton: A Life in History, or Writing Biography in the Age of Anxiety"